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## I.

SEPTEMBER, 1909.

## IMPORTS AND EXPORTS.

VALUE of Principal Articles Imported and Exported during the Month of September, 1909 and 1908, together with the Total Value of the same articles for the first nine months of the Years 1909 and 1908.

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(Subject to Revision.)

Article.	Period.	Imports.		Exports.		
		Oversea Origin.	Australian Origin.	Oversea Origin.	Total.	
		£	£	£	£	
Ale and Beer ...	September 1909	23,970	88	567	655	
	do. 1908	40,770	88	497	585	
	9 months of 1909	267,609	1,233	5,728	6,961	
	do. 1908	316,250	1,700	5,435	7,135	
Animals Living—						
Horses ...	September 1909	16,306	16,092	445	16,537	
	do. 1908	13,965	25,828	...	25,828	
	9 months of 1909	68,999	87,742	900	88,642	
	do. 1908	65,183	117,386	40	117,426	
Cattle ...	September 1909	...	786	...	786	
	do. 1908	405	1,691	...	1,691	
	9 months of 1909	3,557	7,792	...	7,792	
	do. 1908	7,954	9,065	...	9,065	
Sheep ...	September 1909	2,090	5,708	...	5,708	
	do. 1908	2,001	5,138	...	5,138	
	9 months of 1909	11,942	18,198	...	18,198	
	do. 1908	16,334	17,178	21	17,199	
Apparel and all Descriptions of Soft Goods	September 1909	1,152,278	5,002	16,193	21,195	
	do. 1908	928,598	2,559	13,700	16,259	
	9 months of 1909	9,536,833	28,572	112,262	140,834	
	do. 1908	9,473,928	26,545	112,282	138,827	
Biscuits ..	September 1909	581	5,324	...	5,324	
	do. 1908	673	3,726	2	3,728	
	9 months of 1909	5,590	39,348	41	39,389	
	do. 1908	4,724	31,832	29	31,861	
Bones, Hoofs, and Horns ...	September 1909	23	3,501	...	3,501	
	do. 1908	650	3,016	...	3,016	
	9 months of 1909	2,382	21,799	...	21,799	
	do. 1908	2,865	22,081	...	22,081	
Boots and Shoes	September 1909	27,364	2,513	223	2,736	
	do. 1908	27,216	2,087	225	2,312	
	9 months of 1909	198,863	14,012	1,968	15,980	
	do. 1908	214,221	14,617	1,559	16,176	
Butter	September 1909	77	159,902	...	159,902	
	do. 1908	245	54,926	...	54,926	
	9 months of 1909	3,690	1,005,239	2,926	1,008,165	
	do. 1908	1,737	1,356,706	127	1,356,833	
Cement	September 1909	7,419	51	267	318	
	do. 1908	7,749	114	350	464	
	9 months of 1909	63,137	664	2,087	2,751	
	do. 1908	55,865	3,206	2,641	5,847	
Cheese :	September 1909	1,373	330	65	395	
	do. 1908	2,286	252	140	392	
	9 months of 1909	10,936	2,402	323	2,725	
	do. 1908	15,473	3,644	723	4,367	

## Imports and Exports—continued.

Article.	Period.	Imports.	Exports.		
		Oversea Origin.	Australian Origin.	Oversea Origin.	Total.
		£	£	£	£
Coal ... ..	September 1909	...	67,372	...	67,372
	do. 1908	838	103,862	...	103,862
	9 months of 1909	3,593	678,040	742	678 782
	do. 1908	6,780	1,017,617	...	1,017,617
Cocoa and Chocolate—all forms ...	September 1909	22,174	76	104	180
	do. 1908	26,995	23	67	90
	9 months of 1909	216,645	204	1,314	1,518
	do. 1908	178,507	406	1,447	1,853
Coffee and Chicory—all forms ...	September 1909	5,700	93	239	332
	do. 1908	3,511	11	802	813
	9 months of 1909	60,360	212	2,784	2,996
	do. 1908	47,453	116	4,012	4,128
Copper Ingots and Copper contained in Matte	September 1909	...	198,028	...	198,028
	do. 1908	67	211,302	...	211,302
	9 months of 1909	*143	*1,458,520	*1,416	*1,459,936
	do. 1908	67	1,602,946	...	1,602,946
Cordage and Twines ... ..	September 1909	42,163	1,054	2,638	3,692
	do. 1908	44,701	1,000	1,532	2,532
	9 months of 1909	412,564	6,435	12,349	18,784
	do. 1908	443,170	5,855	12,678	18,533
Drugs and Chemicals ... ..	September 1909	80,730	5,172	2,479	7,651
	do. 1908	76,742	6,572	2,867	9,439
	9 months of 1909	718,806	35,397	21,750	57,147
	do. 1908	830,696	59,670	30,259	89,929
Earthenware, China, etc....	September 1909	28,813	493	208	701
	do. 1908	28,657	782	155	937
	9 months of 1909	186,641	4,415	3,082	7,497
	do. 1908	242,259	5,853	1,664	7,517
Fish (all kinds)... ..	September 1909	24,100	711	949	1,660
	do. 1908	27,251	1,943	1,349	3,292
	9 months of 1909	288,058	12,016	7,824	19,840
	do. 1908	307,182	14,893	10,412	25,305
Fruits, Dried—					
Currants ... ..	September 1909	1,171	...	13	13
	do. 1908	973	...	13	13
	9 months of 1909	21,787	2	265	267
	do. 1908	15,221	1	87	88
Raisins ... ..	September 1909	140	990	5	995
	do. 1908	27	907	2	909
	9 months of 1909	4,517	9,416	40	9,456
	do. 1908	587	26,716	218	26,934
Other ... ..	September 1909	1,496	110	56	166
	do. 1908	1,270	192	33	225
	9 months of 1909	21,195	2,103	369	2,472
	do. 1908	18,397	2,765	1,732	4,497
Fruits, Fresh—					
Apples ... ..	September 1909	84	2,549	...	2,549
	do. 1908	451	3,130	30	3,160
	9 months of 1909	84	177,129	24	177,153
	do. 1908	556	210,596	37	210,633
All other ... ..	September 1909	6,315	6,056	14	6,070
	do. 1908	3,328	4,675	...	4,675
	9 months of 1909	81,165	40,752	1,818	42,570
	do. 1908	58,517	33,318	1,104	34,422
Furniture ... ..	September 1909	14,798	394	254	648
	do. 1908	15,317	980	167	1,147
	9 months of 1909	122,318	4,551	3,448	7,999
	do. 1908	137,145	5,634	3,040	8,674
Glass and Glassware ... ..	September 1909	34,270	468	521	989
	do. 1908	35,740	861	799	1,660
	9 months of 1909	262,349	3,966	4,003	7,969
	do. 1908	271,187	11,492	7,985	19,477
Gold, uncoined ... ..	September 1909	105,583	330,086	...	330,086
	do. 1908	71,787	335,228	...	335,228
	9 months of 1909	753,296	2,750 539	...	2,750,539
	do. 1908	751,029	2,897,004	10	2,897,014

\* Includes Copper contained in ores.



## Imports and Exports—continued.

Article.	Period.	Imports.		Exports.		
		Oversea Origin.	Australian Origin.	Oversea Origin.	Total.	
Grain and Pulse, Unprepared—		£	£	£	£	
Barley	September 1909	2,602	5,047	...	5,047	
	do. 1908	2,637	2	...	2	
	9 months of 1909	11,667	21,750	...	21,750	
	do. 1908	99,031	77	92	169	
Maize	September 1909	15,739	143	26	169	
	do. 1908	7,921	10	...	10	
	9 months of 1909	76,662	296	499	795	
	do. 1908	37,149	369	63	432	
Oats	September 1909	993	1,140	534	1,674	
	do. 1908	18,378	69	445	514	
	9 months of 1909	30,607	28,058	2,228	30,286	
	do. 1908	185,075	5,878	1,725	7,603	
Wheat	September 1909	3	210,648	...	210,648	
	do. 1908	...	258,040	...	258,040	
	9 months of 1909	78	5,979,894	...	5,979,894	
	do. 1908	35	2,022,983	...	2,022,983	
Other	September 1909	438	386	9	395	
	do. 1908	858	97	25	122	
	9 months of 1909	9,696	1,494	519	2,013	
	do. 1908	11,588	2,828	220	3,048	
Grain and Pulse, Prepared—						
Bran, Pollard, and Sharps	September 1909	4	3,948	175	4,123	
	do. 1908	242	2,174	25	2,199	
	9 months of 1909	5,717	26,652	370	27,022	
	do. 1908	4,499	18,995	72	19,067	
Flour	September 1909	37	82,328	...	82,328	
	do. 1908	35	81,730	...	81,730	
	9 months of 1909	742	1,035,983	...	1,035,983	
	do. 1908	1,930	781,034	...	781,034	
Oatmeal, etc.	September 1909	374	85	20	105	
	do. 1908	407	99	12	111	
	9 months of 1909	7,345	2,794	132	2,926	
	do. 1908	7,643	1,353	113	1,466	
Rice	September 1909	9,855	...	5,751	5,751	
	do. 1908	15,978	...	4,203	4,203	
	9 months of 1909	201,751	...	39,708	39,708	
	do. 1908	214,819	...	37,611	37,611	
Other	September 1909	2,643	367	49	416	
	do. 1908	6,023	394	143	537	
	9 months of 1909	35,876	10,582	1,646	12,228	
	do. 1908	64,644	4,465	836	5,301	
Hats and Caps ...	September 1909	32,137	222	567	789	
	do. 1908	29,134	283	590	873	
	9 months of 1909	203,912	1,690	3,673	5,363	
	do. 1908	243,311	1,614	5,168	6,782	
Hay and Chaff ...	September 1909	83	1,531	...	1,531	
	do. 1908	34,170	353	143	496	
	9 months of 1909	280	6,480	...	6,480	
	do. 1908	82,564	8,520	201	8,721	
Hops	September 1909	1,681	3	31	34	
	do. 1908	1,141	2	71	73	
	9 months of 1909	25,465	153	795	948	
	do. 1908	28,024	33	880	913	
Implements and Machinery—Agricultural, Horticultural and Viticultural	September 1909	63,180	3,293	1,616	4,909	
	do. 1908	48,664	2,417	697	3,114	
	9 months of 1909	319,412	102,307	7,559	109,866	
	do. 1908	283,431	66,324	6,712	73,036	
Indiarubber goods	September 1909	56,730	4,195	2,750	6,945	
	do. 1908	23,167	3,868	861	4,729	
	9 months of 1909	328,589	26,229	16,411	42,640	
	do. 1908	312,333	27,793	7,665	35,458	
Iron and Steel—						
Bar, Rod, etc., Blooms, Slabs, etc., Girders, Joists etc.	September 1909	74,825	63	1,376	1,439	
	do. 1908	68,164	167	928	1,095	
	9 months of 1909	723,557	2,040	8,749	10,789	
	do. 1908	728,003	2,414	11,644	14,058	



## Imports and Exports—continued.

Article		Period.		Imports.		Exports.		
				Oversea Origin.		Austr. Origin.	Oversea Origin.	Total.
				£		£	£	£
Iron and Steel—continued.								
Galvanized—Plate and Sheet ...		September	1909	126,807		25	2,147	2,172
		do.	1908	114,063		...	1,641	1,641
		9 months of	1909	1,095,223		25	17,807	17,832
		do.	1908	798,821		23	13,923	13,946
Pig and Scrap ...		September	1909	18,259		187	2,243	2,430
		do.	1908	7,911		612	201	813
		9 months of	1909	127,295		2,667	7,809	10,476
		do.	1908	108,455		6,227	4,667	10,894
Jams and Jellies ...		September	1909	409		2,454	11	2,465
		do.	1908	553		1,688	8	1,696
		9 months of	1909	5,299		20,249	118	20,367
		do.	1908	4,549		17,417	77	17,494
Jute Goods, including Bags and Sacks (Bran, Flour, and Corn, Gunny and Ore and Woolpack)		September	1909	129,392		238	1,065	1,303
		do.	1908	68,644		...	2,346	2,346
		9 months of	1909	757,103		853	15,177	16,030
		do.	1908	763,780		8	40,769	40,777
Lead—Pig, and Lead contained in Matte		September	1909	755		91,438	...	91,438
		do.	1908	422		141,520	...	141,520
		9 months of	1909	*15,982		*681,894	*218	*682,112
		do.	1908	4,147		917,351	118	917,469
Leather ...		September	1909	35,745		39,407	1,934	41,341
		do.	1908	24,826		50,679	2,103	52,782
		9 months of	1909	299,323		319,948	17,804	337,752
		do.	1908	258,140		366,122	16,891	383,013
Machines and Machinery (all kinds, except Agricultural, for which see “Implements”)		September	1909	230,849		3,882	4,751	8,633
		do.	1908	267,101		5,508	5,677	11,185
		9 months of	1909	2,081,239		26,739	51,969	78,708
		do.	1908	2,065,039		54,036	59,572	113,008
Manures ...		September	1909	8,647		23,345	...	23,345
		do.	1908	51,786		12,684	113	12,797
		9 months of	1909	266,970		87,106	2,060	89,166
		do.	1908	300,588		79,586	578	80,164
Matches and Vestas ...		September	1909	11,164		...	375	375
		do.	1908	12,325		...	242	242
		9 months of	1909	118,308		...	2,459	2,459
		do.	1908	146,293		2	1,963	1,965
Meats, Preserved by Cold Process—								
Beef ...		September	1909	...		90,318	...	90,318
		do.	1908	8		48,536	...	48,536
		9 months of	1909	111		587,852	...	587,852
		do.	1908	8		334,566	...	334,566
Mutton and Lamb ...		September	1909	1		30,394	...	30,394
		do.	1908	...		71,563	...	71,563
		9 months of	1909	1		488,912	...	488,912
		do.	1908	...		448,118	...	448,118
Poultry ...		September	1909	2		818	...	818
		do.	1908	2		1,218	...	1,218
		9 months of	1909	54		2,497	...	2,497
		do.	1908	65		5,085	...	5,085
Rabbits and Hares ...		September	1909	...		41,026	..	41,026
		do.	1908	...		30,860	...	30,860
		9 months of	1909	...		370,353	..	370,353
		do.	1908	...		305,733	..	305,733
Meats, Preserved in Tins...		September	1909	786		50,583	14	50,597
		do.	1908	1,266		39,328	51	39,379
		9 months of	1909	13,807		309,646	397	310,043
		do.	1908	12,073		166,838	389	167,227
Metals, Manufactures of—								
Dutiable ... *		September	1909	102,678		3,407	5,887	9,294
		do.	1908	10,356		5,390	6,311	11,701
		9 months of	1909	880,091		29,082	42,918	72,000
		do.	1908	1,154,518		38,697	55,776	94,473
Free ...		September	1909	128,580	}	Included in previous item.		
		do.	1908	128,796				
		9 months of	1909	1,409,100				
		do.	1908	1,460,844				

\* Includes Lead contained in ores.

## Imports and Exports—continued.

Article.	Period.	Imports.		Exports.		
		Oversea Origin.	Australian Origin.	Oversea Origin.	Total.	
		£	£	£	£	
Milk—						
Concentrated and Preserved ...	September 1909	12,737	351	365	716	
	do. 1908	16,062	349	332	681	
	9 months of 1909	119,297	1,829	3,286	5,115	
	do. 1908	138,455	1,766	2,892	4,658	
Oil—Kerosene ...	September 1909	42,271	...	1,317	1,317	
	do. 1908	28,500	...	1,323	1,323	
	9 months of 1909	422,905	1	8,803	8,804	
	do. 1908	292,908	...	31,815	31,815	
Onions	September 1909	2,692	1,030	205	1,235	
	do. 1908	3,508	1,041	147	1,188	
	9 months of 1909	16,387	13,885	838	14,723	
	do. 1908	5,559	19,854	274	20,128	
Ores (exclusive of Gold Ores the value of which is shown under "Gold Uncoined")	September 1909	472	76,264	109	76,373	
	do. 1908	172	86,307	21	86,328	
	9 months of 1909	*6,849	*419,580	*473	*420,053	
	do. 1908	10,066	763,155	3,463	766,618	
Paints, Colours and Varnishes	September 1909	29,623	270	691	961	
	do. 1908	38,970	130	478	608	
	9 months of 1909	300,996	3,092	5,198	8,290	
	do. 1908	324,321	2,637	5,044	7,681	
Paper—						
Printing ...	September 1909	43,809	...	184	184	
	do. 1908	42,961	5	10	15	
	9 months of 1909	414,035	...	858	858	
	do. 1908	484,638	5	872	877	
All other	September 1909	46,947	25	411	436	
	do. 1908	46,612	20	489	509	
	9 months of 1909	410,880	411	3,864	4,275	
	do. 1908	487,388	381	3,161	3,542	
Pearlshell	September 1909	...	35,462	...	35,462	
	do. 1908	...	23,570	...	23,570	
	9 months of 1909	36	174,392	17	174,409	
	do. 1908	108	165,525	3	165,528	
Pickles and Sauces	September 1909	5,437	53	342	395	
	do. 1908	8,943	65	41	106	
	9 months of 1909	79,988	802	1,044	1,846	
	do. 1908	79,053	781	655	1,436	
Potatoes	September 1909	133	957	...	957	
	do. 1908	54	1,293	...	1,293	
	9 months of 1909	918	14,518	...	14,518	
	do. 1908	736	16,182	6	16,188	
Railway Material—Rails, Fish-plates, &c.	September 1909	39,298	...	181	181	
	do. 1908	45,329	116	768	884	
	9 months of 1909	657,851	714	2,873	3,587	
	do. 1908	628,076	550	5,026	5,576	
Silver—						
Bullion and Silver contained in Matte	September 1909	...	56,186	...	56,186	
	do. 1908	3	105,560	...	105,560	
	9 months of 1909	†1,628	†565,996	†905	†566,901	
	do. 1908	105	779,786	2,940	782,726	
Skins—						
Hides	September 1909	15,801	37,304	...	37,304	
	do. 1908	17,416	38,095	725	38,820	
	9 months of 1909	144,588	278,711	60	278,771	
	do. 1908	159,581	191,941	1,052	192,993	
Rabbit and Hare	September 1909	77	51,414	...	51,414	
	do. 1908	325	51,852	...	51,852	
	9 months of 1909	2,060	293,417	164	293,581	
	do. 1908	1,344	234,243	...	234,243	

\* Does not include Copper, Lead, Silver, and Zinc Ores, each of which is now included under the heading of the particular metal.

† Includes Silver contained in ores.



## Imports and Exports—continued.

Article.			Period.		Imports.		Exports.				
					Oversea Origin.	Australian Origin.	Oversea Origin.	Total.			
					£	£	£	£			
Skins—continued.											
Sheep	...	...	September	1909	375	199,686	...	199,686			
			do.	1908	1,173	117,462	...	117,462			
			9 months of	1909	11,456	1,006,840	138	1,006,978			
			do.	1908	29,563	738,397	25	738,422			
Other	...	...	September	1909	4,617	86,070	...	86,070			
			do.	1908	4,620	55,911	163	56,074			
			9 months of	1909	27,065	401,933	156	402,089			
			do.	1908	54,355	182,736	213	182,949			
Soap ...	...	...	September	1909	5,707	5,278	201	5,479			
			do.	1908	6,476	4,040	193	4,233			
			9 months of	1909	52,512	44,558	2,439	46,997			
Specie—	...	...	do.	1908	53,296	38,739	3,057	41,796			
			Gold	...	...	September	1909	...	177,864	105,583	283,447
						do.	1908	1,007	1,051,398	71,787	1,123,185
9 months of	1909	11,448				3,545,573	767,296	4,312,869			
do.	1908	11,168				8,287,427	751,484	9,038,911			
Silver	...	...	September	1909	13,504	...	2,264	2,264			
			do.	1908	10,278	...	450	450			
			9 months of	1909	26,318	...	9,901	9,901			
			do.	1908	161,958	...	33,385	33,385			
Bronze	...	...	September	1909	400	...	1	1			
			do.	1908	28	...	200	200			
			9 months of	1909	8,072	...	851	851			
			do.	1908	10,470	...	1,582	1,582			
Spirits—											
Brandy	...	...	September	1909	11,644	74	207	281			
			do.	1908	12,367	43	146	189			
			9 months of	1909	101,098	648	1,403	2,051			
			do.	1908	109,201	647	1,341	1,988			
Gin (including Schnapps)	...	...	September	1909	7,915	...	100	100			
			do.	1908	10,000	...	121	121			
			9 months of	1909	82,580	...	1,006	1,006			
			do.	1908	100,568	...	874	874			
Whisky	...	...	September	1909	37,355	...	1,268	1,268			
			do.	1908	57,787	...	996	996			
			9 months of	1909	374,233	3	6,970	6,973			
			do.	1908	388,247	43	8,422	8,465			
Rum	...	...	September	1909	3,197	...	29	29			
			do.	1908	6,569	23	4	27			
			9 months of	1909	50,854	22	242	264			
			do.	1908	25,318	915	220	1,135			
Other	...	...	September	1909	10,146	682	492	1,174			
			do.	1908	11,146	482	422	904			
			9 months of	1909	72,618	8,298	3,335	11,633			
			do.	1908	77,227	8,739	3,297	12,036			
Sugar	...	...	September	1909	29,599	16	8,919	8,935			
			do.	1908	43	439	8,150	8,589			
			9 months of	1909	424,688	2,376	74,102	76,478			
			do.	1908	139,227	5,282	153,923	159,205			
Tallow	...	...	September	1909	...	103,929	30	103,959			
			do.	1908	...	76,298	...	76,298			
			9 months of	1909	...	794,149	64	794,213			
			do.	1908	...	518,433	25	518,458			
Tea	...	...	September	1909	145,025	2	5,469	5,471			
			do.	1908	111,905	...	4,185	4,185			
			9 months of	1909	772,684	2	58,802	58,804			
			do.	1908	685,837	...	39,104	39,104			
Timber	...	...	September	1909	107,112	67,415	1,781	69,196			
			do.	1908	181,651	81,459	1,348	82,807			
			9 months of	1909	1,239,688	735,116	14,442	749,558			
			do.	1908	1,350,770	713,151	20,267	733,418			
Tin Ingots	...	...	September	1909	7	64,310	...	64,310			
			do.	1908	...	66,684	...	66,684			
			9 months of	1909	*10	*596,087	...	*596,087			
			do.	1908	110	634,747	20	634,767			

\* Includes Tin contained in ores.



## Imports and Exports—continued.

Article.	Period.	Imports.		Exports.		
		Oversea Origin.		Australian Origin.	Oversea Origin.	Total.
		£		£	£	£
Tinned Plates ...	September 1909	21,432		...	54	54
	do. 1908	22,103		...	308	308
	9 months of 1909	217,678		...	977	977
	do. 1908	218,393		...	2,159	2,159
Tobacco—						
Manufactured	September 1909	11,670		7,025	5,297	12,322
	do. 1908	12,305		6,522	4,138	10,660
	9 months of 1909	94,800		53,697	35,795	89,492
	do. 1908	71,273		57,370	24,588	81,958
Unmanufactured	September 1909	13,188		...	15	15
	do. 1908	24,433		...	956	956
	9 months of 1909	232,512		...	275	275
	do. 1908	381,526		...	1,789	1,789
Cigars ...	September 1909	10,876		...	227	227
	do. 1908	21,729		...	370	370
	9 months of 1909	77,192		5	2,167	2,172
	do. 1908	118,762		1	2,462	2,523
Cigarettes ...	September 1909	4,235		99	128	227
	do. 1908	3,579		32	161	193
	9 months of 1909	27,287		1,321	758	2,079
	do. 1908	26,592		1,113	539	1,652
Tools of Trade ...	September 1909	33,250		251	935	1,186
	do. 1908	33,538		99	861	960
	9 months of 1909	288,593		845	7,898	8,743
	do. 1908	426,871		1,309	7,651	8,960
Wine, Fermented—						
Sparkling ...	September 1909	6,879		17	179	196
	do. 1908	5,114		3	103	106
	9 months of 1909	65,509		352	2,382	2,734
	do. 1908	85,246		369	3,082	3,451
Other	September 1909	1,642		10,632	195	10,827
	do. 1908	2,598		8,807	332	9,139
	9 months of 1909	16,087		87,531	1,664	89,195
	do. 1908	17,797		61,225	1,646	62,871
Wool—						
Greasy	September 1909	590		1,268,974	...	1,268,974
	do. 1908	1,292		891,945	...	891,945
	9 months of 1909	21,633		8,402,442	...	8,402,442
	do. 1908	8,117		7,583,803	...	7,583,803
Scoured and Washed	September 1909	...		455,701	...	455,701
	do. 1908	40		529,214	...	529,214
	9 months of 1909	676		3,338,051	...	3,338,051
	do. 1908	999		3,379,718	...	3,379,718
All other Articles	September 1909	1,015,923		290,751	46,447	337,198
	do. 1908	839,767		232,766	26,559	259,325
	9 months of 1909	7,494,476		2,179,859	344,821	2,524,680
	do. 1908	7,200,801		2,080,263	329,116	2,409,379
Grand Totals	September 1909	4,390,001		4,501,962	240,197	4,742,159
	do. 1908	4,034,594		4,962,214	175,853	5,138,067
	9 months of 1909	36,754,566		39,551,979	1,794,755	41,346,734
	do. 1908	37,230,719		39,654,624	1,912,741	41,567,365

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## II. EXPORTS.

QUANTITY and Value of Principal Agricultural, Pastoral, and Dairy Produce of Australian Origin Exported from each State of the Commonwealth to Various Countries during the Nine Months ended 30th September, 1909 and 1908.

NOTE.—In this Table no account has been taken of Transhipments. Particulars are referred to the State from which the goods were finally despatched from the Commonwealth.

Compiled from Information supplied by the Department of Trade and Customs.  
(Subject to Revision.)

Article and Country to which Exported.	New South Wales.		Victoria.		Queensland.		South Australia.		Western Australia.		Tasmania.		Total, Nine Months, 1909.		Total, Nine Months, 1908.	
	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.
	lb.	£	lb.	£	lb.	£	lb.	£	lb.	£	lb.	£	lb.	£	lb.	£
BUTTER—																
United Kingdom ...	8,519,920	359,606	4,522,188	199,945	5,484,439	226,864	351,042	17,483	21,896	1,227	...	...	18,899,485	805,125	24,234,756	1,140,189
Canada ...	153,532	7,112	...	...	50,400	2,250	...	...	...	...	...	...	203,932	9,362	95,000	4,882
Cape Colony ...	117,432	4,921	357,727	16,853	618,088	26,213	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,093,247	47,987	1,374,891	62,952
Ceylon ...	23,968	1,052	61,238	3,087	17,300	866	...	...	...	...	...	...	102,506	5,005	89,875	4,701
China ...	33,264	1,528	125,123	6,786	34,982	1,837	...	...	...	...	...	...	193,369	10,151	106,410	5,611
Dutch East Indies—																
Java ...	91,504	4,215	680,651	33,790	6,884	362	18,372	1,033	...	...	...	...	797,411	39,400	506,219	27,182
Other Islands ...	392	17	13,392	708	1,080	66	...	...	...	...	...	...	14,864	791	6,792	408
Egypt ...	29,793	1,342	38,908	1,698	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	68,701	3,040	88,446	4,252
Germany ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	8,890	431
Hong Kong ...	142,240	6,346	85,127	4,621	62,106	3,116	...	...	...	...	...	...	289,473	14,083	270,036	14,023
Islands in the Pacific—																
Fiji ...	34,384	1,560	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	34,384	1,560	35,480	1,829
Hawaiian Islands ..	9,072	402	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	9,072	402	10,078	502
New Caledonia ...	38,288	1,799	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	38,288	1,799	47,546	2,533
Other Islands ...	45,704	2,076	172	10	112	6	...	...	...	...	...	...	45,988	2,092	45,070	2,461
Japan ...	25,592	956	6,252	373	15,572	707	...	...	...	...	...	...	47,416	2,046	66,415	3,381
Natal ...	30,240	1,282	162,538	8,176	115,948	4,930	...	...	...	...	...	...	308,726	14,388	884,882	44,797
Papua ...	9,924	453	...	...	5,758	337	...	...	...	...	...	...	15,682	790	14,680	832
Philippine Islands ...	223,902	10,871	63,277	3,626	341,879	14,907	...	...	...	...	...	...	629,058	29,404	405,865	20,643
Straits Settlements ...	6,552	323	256,990	10,994	72,280	3,375	18,595	1,047	...	...	...	...	304,417	15,739	200,042	10,906
Other Countries ...	15,016	727	18,612	987	1,877	104	4,580	267	...	...	...	...	40,085	2,085	75,351	4,191
Total, 9 months { 1909	9,550,719	406,588	6,392,195	291,654	6,828,705	285,940	392,589	19,830	21,896	1,227	...	...	23,186,104	1,005,239	...	...
{ 1908	11,630,028	563,142	9,512,725	471,237	7,213,579	311,854	210,168	10,461	112	6	112	6	...	...	28,566,724	1,356,706



## Exports—continued.

Article and Country to which Exported.	New South Wales.		Victoria.		Queensland.		South Australia.		Western Australia.		Tasmania.		Total, Nine Months, 1909.		Total, Nine Months, 1908.	
	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.
FLOUR—	Cental.	£	Cental.	£	Cental.	£	Cental.	£	Cental.	£	Cental.	£	Cental.	£	Cental.	£
United Kingdom ...	17,795	9,536	551,199	231,559	...	...	82,471	37,589	100	45	...	...	651,565	278,729	219,744	98,195
Africa—Portuguese East ...	...	...	164,003	75,865	...	...	103,923	51,285	...	...	...	...	267,926	127,150	265,026	112,977
Cape Colony ...	...	...	90,945	38,710	...	...	62,545	29,947	...	...	...	...	153,490	68,657	81,004	35,130
Ceylon ...	...	...	18,247	8,275	...	...	21,254	9,604	400	170	...	...	39,901	18,049	32,264	13,839
China ...	1,000	528	4,227	1,749	...	...	...	...	245	100	...	...	5,472	2,377	2,862	1,379
Cochin China ...	4,990	2,711	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4,990	2,711	2,196	1,031
Dutch East Indies—	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Celebes ...	1,689	887	4,409	1,975	8	5	...	...	...	...	...	...	6,106	2,867	5,308	2,518
Java ...	18,277	9,004	42,811	20,161	...	...	120,843	60,016	1,841	939	...	...	183,772	90,720	197,175	88,558
Sumatra ...	5,593	2,989	2,961	1,482	...	...	6,796	3,323	...	...	...	...	15,350	7,794	10,679	5,101
Other Islands ...	1,646	886	216	124	30	18	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,892	1,028	1,729	800
Hong Kong ...	22,170	11,538	2,146	917	...	...	320	176	2,245	993	...	...	26,881	13,624	6,096	2,812
India ...	4	2	3,416	1,669	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3,420	1,671	1,006	453
Islands in the Pacific—	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Fiji ...	25,784	14,188	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	25,784	14,188	16,803	8,212
New Caledonia ...	46,014	24,813	8,953	4,080	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	54,967	28,893	58,705	28,106
New Hebrides ...	2,998	1,683	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2,998	1,683	2,079	996
Other Islands ...	18,474	10,205	61	41	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	18,535	10,246	15,340	7,454
Mauritius ...	...	...	61,802	29,593	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	61,802	29,393	50,819	22,022
Natal ...	...	...	116,165	55,098	...	...	147,825	70,879	3,336	1,719	...	...	267,326	127,696	254,637	111,607
New Zealand ...	46,933	23,740	57,955	25,355	...	...	...	...	...	...	100	42	104,988	49,137	252,204	112,602
Papua ...	1,951	1,070	1,900	962	190	123	...	...	...	...	...	...	4,041	2,155	1,711	848
Philippine Islands ...	86,614	45,076	90,132	41,493	294	136	1,004	550	...	...	...	...	178,044	87,255	135,734	64,031
Straits Settlements ...	33,974	18,439	29,380	15,283	...	...	23,005	10,815	8,616	4,044	...	...	94,975	48,581	90,635	42,491
Other Countries ...	1,755	944	14,717	7,403	...	...	26,224	12,396	1,320	636	...	...	44,016	21,379	43,873	19,892
Total, 9 months (1909)	37,661	178,839	1,265,645	561,594	522	282	596,210	286,580	18,103	8,646	100	42	2,218,241	1,035,983	...	...
(1908)	265,533	129,156	825,847	358,164	339	187	647,957	289,724	7,443	3,559	510	244	...	...	1,747,629	781,034
WHEAT—	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
United Kingdom ...	1,542,121	553,071	6,373,203	2,153,853	2	1	5,884,775	2,083,420	334,848	115,833	2,097	874	14,137,046	4,907,052	4,504,569	1,568,683
Belgium ...	...	...	14,659	5,459	...	...	42,860	16,702	...	...	...	...	57,519	22,161	24,486	9,182
Cape Colony ...	48,069	15,533	654,698	237,256	...	...	959,806	353,579	35,605	11,873	...	...	1,698,178	618,241	851,851	294,179
France ...	...	...	12,583	4,242	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	12,583	4,242	8,152	2,887
Germany ...	...	...	24,242	9,003	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	24,242	9,003	...	...
India ...	...	...	14,846	4,592	...	...	45,793	14,163	...	...	...	...	60,639	18,755	52,034	18,429
Italy ...	...	...	149,188	46,621	...	...	141,082	47,027	...	...	...	...	290,270	93,648	...	...
Natal ...	...	...	31,605	12,462	...	...	28,976	11,917	...	...	...	...	60,581	24,379	200,078	68,665
New Zealand ...	25,494	7,852	17,784	5,802	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	43,278	13,654	9,402	3,467
Peru ...	...	...	124,255	43,100	...	...	180,481	70,820	...	...	...	...	304,736	113,920	124,091	42,477
Philippine Islands ...	...	...	106,892	33,404	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	106,892	33,404	...	...
Spain ...	126,548	49,762	60,026	18,758	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	186,574	68,520	...	...
Other Countries ...	*147,977	*50,242	5,915	1,920	12	8	211	70	2,287	675	...	...	156,402	52,915	36,640	15,014
Total, 9 months (1909)	1,890,209	676,460	7,589,896	2,576,472	14	9	7,283,984	2,597,698	372,740	128,381	2,097	874	17,138,940	5,979,894	...	...
(1908)	143,762	54,269	785,908	279,890	56	18	4,804,993	1,662,856	76,584	25,950	...	...	...	...	5,811,303	2,022,983

\* Includes Canary Islands, 147,977 centals, £10,242.



Exports—continued.

Article and Country to which Exported.	New South Wales.		Victoria.		Queensland.		South Australia.		Western Australia.		Tasmania.		Total, Nine Months, 1909.		Total, Nine Months, 1908.	
	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.
WOOL (GREASY)—	lb.	£	lb.	£	lb.	£	lb.	£	lb.	£	lb.	£	lb.	£	lb.	£
United Kingdom...	33 700,572	1,315,163	23, 00,182	933 555	15,191,807	655,753	8,123,153	308,602	7,091,993	266,768	4,328,704	159,358	91,536,411	3,639,199	110,801,057	4,560,444
Belgium ...	14,798,770	539,541	3,038,162	115 114	2,070,669	85,333	495,294	16,727	74,328	3,464	51,281	2,061	20,528,504	762,240	12,278,940	532,222
Canada ...	...	...	50,925	2,122	...	...	...	...	...	...	18,841	850	69,806	2,972	29,634	1,481
France ...	33,011,303	1,099,957	11,442,842	464,837	4,588,003	169,773	2,304,684	80,541	...	...	553,960	21,717	51,900,792	1,836,825	23,659,079	991,249
Germany ...	36,395,459	1,307,074	3,375,168	138,473	3,490,578	146,031	1,819,328	68,339	11,562	554	...	...	45,092,095	1,660,411	29,917,671	1,281,344
India ...	18,089	742	120,984	4,279	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	139,073	5 021	360,445	15,019
Italy ...	492,730	21,925	94,804	3,978	...	...	30,084	1,021	...	...	...	...	617,618	26,924	413,191	17,911
Japan ...	1,824,390	57,032	29,337	1,186	208,187	7,875	...	...	...	...	...	...	2,061,914	66,093	793,908	29,948
Natal ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	170	7
Netherlands ...	...	...	54,643	2,277	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	54,643	2,277	...	...
New Zealand ...	45,945	2,175	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	45,945	2,175	38,994	601
United States ...	3,326,185	149,157	3,793,979	159,654	1,128,048	62,492	153,318	7,445	...	...	404,671	19,497	8,806,201	398,245	3,574,839	153,577
Total, 9 months } 1909	123,613,443	4,492,766	45 101,026	1,825,475	26,677,292	1,127,257	12,925,861	482,675	7,177 883	270,786	5,357,497	203,483	220,853,002	8,402,442	...	...
} 1908	102,496,694	4,372,936	39,612,300	1,650,515	19,787,782	789,651	7,480,488	289,209	6,034,148	226,249	6,456,516	255,243	...	...	181,867,928	7,583,803
WOOL (SCOURED)—																
United Kingdom ...	*9,338,866	*549,863	5,014,902	332,704	5,862,772	439,080	2,574,511	152,054	557,750	27,533	870	39	23,349,671	1,501,273	32,699,434	2,344,159
Belgium ...	4,027,386	226,368	428,301	30,770	1,030,296	72,733	6,343	219	4,784	279	...	...	5,497,110	330,369	3,463,995	249 365
China ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4,122	300
France ...	8,917,130	512,903	1,355,982	94,772	1,800,507	122,799	159,452	8,802	...	...	...	...	12,233,071	739,276	4,588,526	315,434
Germany ...	8,175,781	571,532	532,824	38,916	1,304,470	102,529	12,129	766	...	...	...	...	10,025,204	713,737	5,814,182	407,490
India ...	...	...	73,389	5,601	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	73,389	5,601	66,586	4,963
Italy ...	60,921	5,315	37,652	2,824	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	98,573	8,139	43,830	3,462
Japan ...	†313,149	†32,248	...	...	66,603	4,925	...	...	...	...	...	...	379,752	37,173	712,696	53,772
New Zealand ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5,444	273
United States ...	...	...	390	29	33,854	2,454	...	...	...	...	...	...	34,244	2,483	...	...
Total, 9 months } 1909	30,833,233	1,898,229	7,443,440	505,610	10,098,502	744,520	2,752,435	161,841	562,534	27,812	870	39	51,691,014	3,338,051	...	...
} 1908	27,142,608	1,917,213	7,598,750	569,894	10,823,587	783,118	1,685,848	99,495	140,403	9,646	7,619	352	...	...	47,398,815	3,379,718

\* Includes "Tops," 15,247 lbs., value £1,617.

† Includes "Tops," 225,680 lbs., value £25,845.

## COMMONWEALTH OF AUSTRALIA.

## III.

## SEPTEMBER, 1909. CUSTOMS AND EXCISE REVENUE.

STATEMENT shewing the Gross Revenue from Customs and Excise, under the Sixteen Tariff Divisions, and the Total Net Revenue collected, during the Month of September, 1909 and 1908, the total for the first Nine Months of the same years, and the total for first Three Months of the financial years 1909-10 and 1908-9.

Compiled from information supplied by the Department of Trade and Customs.  
(Subject to Revision.)

DIVISION.	September.		Nine Months of—		Three Months of Financial Year.	
	1909.	1908.	1909.	1908.	1909-10.	1908-9.
	£	£	£	£	£	£
<b>CUSTOMS.</b>						
Div. 1. Ales, Spirits, and Beverages ...	187,574	193,464	1,710,204	1,672,018	615,841	619,433
„ 2. Tobacco and Manufactures thereof ...	81,482	114,985	844,755	877,238	305,796	297,463
„ 3. Sugar ...	16,620	3,817	244,983	36,456	127,319	10,383
„ 4. Agricultural Products and Groceries ...	65,769	69,994	618,840	648,803	207,494	229,516
„ 5. Textiles, &c., and Attire ...	151,117	137,681	1,437,051	1,554,221	559,498	533,766
„ 6. Metals and Machinery ...	78,439	84,908	705,731	774,195	232,611	241,731
„ 7. Oils, Paints, and Varnishes ...	17,355	18,565	153,401	160,131	50,495	56,442
„ 8. Earthenware, &c. ...	21,122	23,384	162,537	185,817	56,576	61,976
„ 9. Drugs and Chemicals ...	6,221	5,935	54,365	58,550	18,309	18,615
„ 10. Wood, Wicker and Cane ...	26,608	28,899	244,652	275,673	75,423	78,882
„ 11. Jewellery and Fancy Goods ...	24,572	21,281	150,610	165,812	66,464	62,423
„ 12. Leather and Rubber ...	20,907	18,318	169,672	168,509	58,867	53,938
„ 13. Paper and Stationery ...	14,466	16,127	112,927	137,673	42,281	47,535
„ 14. Vehicles ...	8,337	7,810	75,290	87,451	26,467	23,365
„ 15. Musical Instruments ...	7,345	6,135	56,827	65,830	21,302	20,089
„ 16. Miscellaneous ...	19,718	19,972	148,637	148,940	56,845	58,058
Other Miscellaneous Receipts ...	1,250	1,753	24,664	26,324	7,967	8,478
<b>Total Customs ...</b>	<b>748,902</b>	<b>773,028</b>	<b>6,915,146</b>	<b>7,043,641</b>	<b>2,529,555</b>	<b>2,422,093</b>
<b>EXCISE.</b>						
Beer ...	38,249	38,405	374,356	381,070	108,356	107,301
Spirits ...	21,412	20,198	198,153	145,638	69,509	60,770
Starch ...	180	1,982	13,635	19,210	2,843	5,991
Sugar ...	52,644	63,062	468,334	566,108	116,973	182,940
Tobacco, Cigars, Cigarettes, and Snuff ...	52,253	53,960	484,137	487,616	170,829	166,010
Agricultural Implements ...	...	...	...	67	...	...
Licences, &c....	335	169	4,286	5,760	696	687
<b>Total Excise ...</b>	<b>165,073</b>	<b>177,776</b>	<b>1,542,901</b>	<b>1,605,469</b>	<b>469,206</b>	<b>523,699</b>
<b>Total Gross Customs and Excise Collections ...</b>	<b>913,975</b>	<b>950,804</b>	<b>8,458,047</b>	<b>8,649,110</b>	<b>2,998,761</b>	<b>2,945,792</b>
<b>Drawbacks and Repayments ...</b>	<b>18,081</b>	<b>24,141</b>	<b>199,759</b>	<b>151,794</b>	<b>59,664</b>	<b>57,741</b>
<b>Total Net Revenue ...</b>	<b>895,894</b>	<b>926,663</b>	<b>8,258,288</b>	<b>8,497,316</b>	<b>2,939,097</b>	<b>2,888,051</b>

NOTE.—The difference between the Total Net Customs and Excise Revenue stated in this Table and the figures in Tables VIII. and XI. is due to adjustments made in the Treasury.



## IV.

SEPTEMBER, 1909.

## INTER-STATE TRADE.

STATEMENT shewing the Value of Goods transferred between each State and other States of the Commonwealth during the Month of September of the Years 1909 and 1908.

Compiled from information supplied by the Department of Trade and Customs.

(Subject to Revision.)

State.	Period.	Received from other Commonwealth States. (Inward.)			Transferred to other Commonwealth States. (Outward.)			Inward above (+) or below (-) Outward.		
		Produce of—		Total.	Produce of—		Total.	Produce of—		Total.
		Common-wealth.	Other Countries.		Common-wealth.	Other Countries.		Common-wealth.	Other Countries.	
		£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
New South Wales	September, 1909	1,335,752	200,348	1,536,100	1,373,515	248,860	1,622,375	- 37,763	- 48,512	- 86,275
	" 1908	1,849,631	166,101	2,015,732	1,396,452	214,762	1,611,214	+ 453,179	- 48,661	+ 404,518
	9 months of 1909	9,992,523	1,307,066	11,299,589	7,898,648	1,799,137	9,697,785	+ 2,093,875	- 492,071	+ 1,601,804
	" 1908	10,783,616	1,395,357	12,178,973	7,494,012	1,708,942	9,202,954	+ 3,289,604	- 313,585	+ 2,976,019
Victoria ...	September, 1909	1,263,937	90,873	1,354,810	743,744	294,686	1,038,430	+ 520,193	- 203,812	+ 316,380
	" 1908	1,273,232	75,633	1,348,865	741,926	262,471	1,004,397	+ 531,306	- 186,838	+ 344,468
	9 months of 1909	6,051,954	715,988	6,770,942	6,285,891	2,153,287	8,440,178	- 231,937	- 1,437,299	- 1,669,236
	" 1908	5,830,910	615,750	6,446,660	6,593,770	2,120,686	8,714,456	- 762,860	- 1,504,936	- 2,267,796
Queensland	September, 1909	243,135	142,631	385,766	824,551	23,053	847,604	- 581,416	+ 119,578	- 461,838
	" 1908	320,190	133,186	453,376	1,392,323	13,955	1,406,278	- 1,072,133	+ 119,231	- 952,902
	9 months of 1909	2,637,064	1,096,722	3,733,786	5,469,001	167,156	5,636,157	- 2,831,937	+ 929,566	- 1,902,371
	" 1908	2,353,726	1,037,904	3,391,630	5,102,415	138,887	5,241,302	- 2,748,689	+ 899,017	- 1,849,672
South Australia	September, 1909	591,242	77,611	668,853	320,540	79,687	400,227	+ 270,702	- 2,076	+ 268,626
	" 1908	461,560	73,169	534,729	365,357	64,102	429,459	+ 96,203	+ 9,067	+ 105,270
	9 months of 1909	3,705,054	603,272	4,308,326	2,192,728	482,956	2,675,684	+ 1,512,326	+ 120,316	+ 1,632,642
	" 1908	3,722,688	604,240	4,326,928	3,557,908	616,357	4,174,265	+ 164,780	- 12,117	+ 152,663
Western Australia	September, 1909	219,326	55,967	275,293	257,404	3,876	261,280	- 38,078	+ 52,091	+ 14,013
	" 1908	192,144	34,928	227,072	36,972	6,708	43,680	+ 155,172	+ 28,220	+ 183,392
	9 months of 1909	1,913,673	329,057	2,242,730	1,212,031	117,640	1,329,671	+ 701,642	+ 211,417	+ 913,059
	" 1908	1,920,144	286,503	2,206,647	585,560	56,463	642,023	+ 1,334,584	+ 250,040	+ 1,584,624
Tasmania	September, 1909	112,211	93,442	205,653	245,849	10,710	256,559	- 133,638	+ 82,732	- 50,906
	" 1908	122,848	84,272	207,120	286,575	5,291	291,866	- 163,727	+ 78,981	- 84,746
	9 months of 1909	1,047,028	726,260	1,773,288	2,290,997	58,189	2,349,186	- 1,243,969	+ 668,071	- 575,898
	" 1908	1,131,520	767,399	1,898,919	2,408,939	65,818	2,474,757	- 1,277,419	+ 701,581	- 575,838
Total...	September, 1909	3,765,603	660,872	4,426,475	3,765,603	660,872	4,426,475	...	...	...
	" 1908	4,219,605	567,289	4,786,894	4,219,605	567,289	4,786,894	...	...	...
	9 months of 1909	25,350,296	4,778,365	30,128,661	25,350,296	4,778,365	30,128,661	...	...	...
	" 1908	25,742,604	4,707,153	30,449,757	25,742,604	4,707,153	30,449,757	...	...	...

NOTE.—The identity of the totals of the "Inward and Outward Transfers" is due to the fact that Inter-State Trade is recorded at the Port of Entry only, the "outward transfers" of the various States being assumed to be identical with the "inward transfers" of the receiving States.

## V.

SEPTEMBER, 1909.

## SHIPPING.

NUMBER, Net Tonnage, and Crews of Vessels which Entered and Cleared the Commonwealth of Australia during the Month of September, 1909 and 1908, and during the Nine Months of the same years.

Compiled from Returns furnished by the Department of Trade and Customs.

(Subject to Revision.)

Description of Vessel.	Entered.						Cleared.					
	With Cargo.			With Cargo and in Ballast.			With Cargo.			With Cargo and in Ballast.		
	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.
Steam ...	99	266,969	7,602	124	319,617	8,519	103	276,560	7,368	106	278,762	7,532
Sailing ...	22	21,640	361	43	50,589	752	32	30,866	517	40	46,426	694
Total—												
September 1909	121	288,609	7,963	167	370,206	9,271	135	307,426	7,885	146	325,188	8,226
" 1908	121	298,463	7,755	161	383,638	8,975	149	346,791	8,460	157	361,245	8,657
Total—												
Nine Months of 1909	1,001	2,332,610	64,978	1,456	3,118,168	77,684	1,393	3,051,241	74,658	1,497	3,212,723	78,078
" 1908	1,011	2,264,388	63,328	1,484	3,139,236	76,480	1,439	3,051,553	74,029	1,528	3,189,166	76,399



## VI.

SEPTEMBER, 1909.

## MIGRATION.

STATEMENT shewing the Number of Persons of each Nationality or Race who arrived in or departed from the Commonwealth during the Month of September, 1909 and 1908, together with the Total Numbers for the Nine Months of the Years 1909 and 1908.

Compiled from Returns supplied by the Department of Trade and Customs.

(Subject to Revision.)

Nationality or Race.	Arrivals.				Departures.			
	September.		Nine Months of—		September.		Nine Months of—	
	1909.	1908.	1909	1908.	1909.	1908.	1909.	1908.
British ...	5,678	4,782	51,460	42,629	2,528	3,254	33,802	36,606
Austrian ...	35	26	615	403	9	3	286	251
Danish ...	21	13	187	111	1	6	67	34
Dutch ...	5	6	107	61	2	3	73	46
French ...	118	106	1,057	1,274	114	153	921	924
German ...	202	122	1,398	1,010	53	48	1,072	906
Greek ...	18	13	223	195	9	9	175	69
Italian ...	48	35	732	700	23	51	597	621
Russian ...	91	16	341	122	4	9	132	60
Scandinavian ...	111	53	627	351	48	25	511	366
Spanish ...	9	4	46	29	...	...	19	14
Swiss ...	6	10	100	39	1	...	37	7
Turkish ...	...	...	6	2	...	...	4	4
United States ...	65	18	459	360	19	26	345	168
Other White ...	19	3	111	183	6	...	69	54
Total, White Nationalities ...	6,426	5,207	57,469	47,469	2,817	3,587	38,110	40,130
Afghans ...	...	...	11	16	...	2	27	34
Chinese ...	119	308	1,636	1,826	186	292	2,068	2,433
Japanese ...	31	30	344	446	19	20	287	288
Malays ...	8	...	425	185	19	13	355	189
Natives of India and Ceylon ...	12	46	90	105	17	12	234	236
Syrians ...	3	...	61	47	1	...	56	46
Other Asiatics ...	5	14	64	66	10	13	79	65
Negroes, American ...	...	10	2	18	...	1	3	7
Papuans ...	19	27	308	395	10	21	280	275
Polynesians, Melanesians ...	2	20	163	202	4	23	174	197
Other Coloured ...	9	6	76	53	2	...	42	34
Total, Coloured Nationalities or Races ...	208	461	3,180	3,359	268	397	3,605	3,804
Total, all Nationalities or Races ...	6,634	5,668	60,649	50,828	3,085	3,984	41,715	43,934

## MIGRATION.

Compiled from Returns supplied by the Department of Trade and Customs.

### Arrivals.

Departures.

VIII.

Source of Revenue.

New South

Victoria

Queensland.

South  
Australia

## Western

Tasmania

	Total	34
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Total	September, 1909...	481,158	298,151	149,311	113,821	98,642	42,752	1,183,835
	,, 1908...	476,971	313,871	154,154	111,723	96,023	41,766	1,194,508



X.

## INTER-STATE Customs and Excise Adjustments for the Month of September, 1909.

XI.

COMMONWEALTH Net Receipts in respect of the several States during the Three Months ended 30th September, 1909. (Inter-State Customs and Excise Adjustments included.)

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SEPTEMBER, 1909.

## XII.

COMMONWEALTH Expenditure in respect of the several States during the Three Months ended 30th September, 1909.

Heads of Expenditure.	New South Wales.	Victoria.	Queensland.	South Australia.	Western Australia.	Tasmania.	Total Commonwealth.
<i>Transferred Expenditure.</i>	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
Trade and Customs ...	19,271	16,645	11,830	7,160	8,397	2,097	65,400
Post, Telegraph, and Telephone	280,499	180,719	122,050	62,838	74,979	29,123	750,208
Defence ...	96,652	81,930	31,301	20,793	11,827	8,030	250,533
<i>Total Transferred Expenditure</i> ...	396,422	279,294	165,181	90,791	95,203	39,250	1,066,141
New Works, etc., for Transferred Departments ...	26,017	20,779	9,029	6,655	4,367	3,039	69,886
"Other" Expenditure ...	233,727	186,666	81,106	59,793	39,225	27,290	627,807
<b>Total three months ended 30th September ...</b> { 1909	<b>656,166</b>	<b>486,739</b>	<b>255,316</b>	<b>157,239</b>	<b>138,795</b>	<b>69,579</b>	<b>1,763,834</b>
... { 1908	<b>617,923</b>	<b>456,773</b>	<b>247,783</b>	<b>156,288</b>	<b>134,849</b>	<b>67,607</b>	<b>1,681,223</b>
Surplus revenue paid to States three months ended 30th September { 1909	841,271	525,170	238,198	196,190	183,708	62,313	2,046,850
... { 1908	879,650	462,475	281,270	183,347	170,204	44,584	2,021,530
Balance due to or from States on 30th September, 1909 ... { To	10,810	...	20,474	5,759	...	...	13,735
... { From	...	13,530	...	...	1,272	8,506	...

## XIII.

INTER-STATE Customs and Excise Adjustments for the Three Months ended 30th September, 1909.

STATE.	CUSTOMS.		EXCISE.		TOTAL CUSTOMS AND EXCISE.		
	Credits.	Debits.	Credits.	Debits.	Credits.	Debits.	Net Results.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
New South Wales ...	82,788	122,040	23,133	44,011	105,921	166,051	Dr. 60,130
Victoria ...	45,038	153,280	12,161	47,983	57,199	201,263	Dr. 144,064
Queensland ...	72,727	10,720	32,200	3,732	104,927	14,452	Cr. 90,475
South Australia ...	44,548	26,726	12,875	6,292	57,423	33,018	Cr. 24,405
Western Australia ...	39,373	2,079	16,756	90	56,129	2,169	Cr. 53,960
Tasmania ...	33,083	2,712	7,667	2,684	40,750	5,396	Cr. 35,354
<b>Total ...</b>	<b>317,557</b>	<b>317,557</b>	<b>104,792</b>	<b>104,792</b>	<b>422,349</b>	<b>422,349</b>	...